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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from the People's Republic of China:

Continuation of Antidumping Duty Order and Countervailing Duty Order

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: As a result of the determinations by the Department of Commerce (Commerce) and the International Trade Commission (ITC) that revocation of the antidumping duty (AD) and countervailing duty (CVD) orders on certain kitchen appliance shelving and racks from the People's Republic of China (China) would likely lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping, countervailable subsidies, and material injury to an industry in the United States, Commerce is publishing a notice of continuation of the AD and CVD orders.

DATES: Applicable [INSERT DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE *FEDERAL REGISTER*].

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On September 14, 2009, Commerce published the AD and CVD orders on certain kitchen appliance shelving and racks from China.¹ On February 3, 2020, the ITC instituted,² and Commerce initiated,³ the second sunset reviews of the *Orders*, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). As a result of its reviews, Commerce determined that revocation of the *Orders* would likely lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping and countervailing subsidies and, therefore, notified the ITC of the magnitude of the margins and net countervailable subsidy rates likely to prevail should the *Orders* be revoked.⁴

On October 6, 2020, the ITC published its determination, pursuant to sections 751(c) and 752(a) of the Act, that revocation of the *Orders* would likely lead to continuation or recurrence of material injury to an industry in the United States within a reasonably foreseeable time.⁵ Scope of the *Orders*

The product covered by the *Orders* consists of shelving and racks for refrigerators, freezers, combined refrigerator-freezers, other refrigerating or freezing equipment, cooking stoves, ranges, and ovens ("certain kitchen appliance shelving and racks" or "the merchandise under order"). Certain kitchen appliance shelving and racks are defined as shelving, baskets,

¹ See Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from the People's Republic of China: Amended Final Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value and Notice of Antidumping Duty Order, 74 FR 46971 (September 14, 2009); and Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from the People's Republic of China: Countervailing Duty Order, 74 FR 46973 (September 14, 2009) (collectively, Orders).

² See Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from China; Institution of Five-Year Reviews, 85 FR 5980 (February 3, 2020).

³ See Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Reviews, 85 FR 5940 (February 3, 2020).

⁴ See Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from the People's Republic of China: Final Results of the Expedited Second Sunset Review of the Antidumping Duty Order, 85 FR 35063 (June 8, 2020); and Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from the People's Republic of China: Final Results of the Expedited Second Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Order, 85 FR 35061 (June 8, 2020).

⁵ See Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from China, 85 FR 63139 (October 6, 2020).

racks (with or without extension slides, which are carbon or stainless steel hardware devices that are connected to shelving, baskets, or racks to enable sliding), side racks (which are welded wire support structures for oven racks that attach to the interior walls of an oven cavity that does not include support ribs as a design feature), and subframes (which are welded wire support structures that interface with formed support ribs inside an oven cavity to support oven rack assemblies utilizing extension slides) with the following dimensions:

- shelving and racks with dimensions: ranging from 3 inches by 5 inches by 0.10 inch to 28 inches by 34 inches by 6 inches; or
- baskets with dimensions ranging from 2 inches by 4 inches by 3 inches to 28 inches by 34 inches by 16 inches; or
- side racks from 6 inches by 8 inches by 0.1 inch to 16 inches by 30 inches by 4 inches; or
- subframes from 6 inches by 10 inches by 0.1 inch to 28 inches by 34 inches by 6 inches.

The merchandise under the *Orders* is comprised of carbon or stainless steel wire ranging in thickness from 0.050 inch to 0.500 inch and may include sheet metal of either carbon or stainless steel ranging in thickness from 0.020 inch to 0.2 inch. The merchandise under the *Orders* may by coated or uncoated and may by formed and/or welded. Excluded from the scope of the *Orders* is shelving in which the support surface is glass.

The merchandise subject to the *Orders* is currently classified in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) statistical reporting numbers 8418.99.8050, 8418.99.8060, 7321.90.5000, 7321.90.6090, and 8516.90.8000. Although the HTSUS subheadings are provided for convenience and customs purposes, the written description of the scope of the *Orders* is dispositive.

Continuation of the *Orders*

As a result of the determinations by Commerce and the ITC that revocation of the Orders

would likely lead to a continuation or a recurrence of dumping and countervailable subsidies, as

well as material injury to an industry in the United States, pursuant to section 751(d)(2) of the

Act, Commerce hereby orders the continuation of the *Orders*.

U.S. Customs and Border Protection will continue to collect AD and CVD cash deposits

at the rates in effect at the time of entry for all imports of subject merchandise. The effective

date of the continuation of the *Orders* will be the date of publication in the *Federal Register* of

this notice of continuation. Pursuant to section 751(c)(2) of the Act, Commerce intends to

initiate the next five-year reviews of the *Orders* not later than 30 days prior to the fifth

anniversary of the effective date of continuation.

Notification to Interested Parties

These five-year sunset reviews and this notice are in accordance with section 751(c) of

the Act and published pursuant to section 777(i)(1) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218(f)(4).

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